

# **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 West Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

**Dear Supervisors:** 

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS 1, 2, AND 5 3 VOTES

### IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

- Adopt a traffic regulation order establishing stop controls for eastbound and westbound traffic on Whiteside Avenue at Ditman Avenue, establishing multiway stop controls, City Terrace area (Supervisorial District 1).
- Adopt a traffic regulation order prohibiting parking for a period longer than 2 hours, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 6 p.m., Sundays excepted, on the east side of Brannick Avenue, between Whittier Boulevard and a point 100 feet south of Whittier Boulevard, East Los Angeles area (Supervisorial District 1).
- 3. Adopt a traffic regulation order establishing stop controls for northbound and southbound traffic on Echelon Avenue at Fairgrove Avenue, establishing multiway stop controls, Valinda area (Supervisorial District 1).
- 4. Adopt a traffic regulation order establishing a disabled person's parking zone, on the east side of Parmelee Avenue, between a point 180 feet and a point 200 feet south of Nadeau Street, Firestone area (Supervisorial District 2).

- 5. Adopt a traffic regulation order prohibiting parking for a period longer than 20 minutes, on the south side of Arrow Highway, between a point 280 feet and a point 300 feet east of Citrus Avenue, Covina area (Supervisorial District 5).
- 6. Adopt a traffic regulation order prohibiting parking for a period longer than 20 minutes, on the south side of Arrow Highway, between a point 370 feet and a point 410 feet east of Citrus Avenue, Covina area (Supervisorial District 5).
- 7. Adopt a traffic regulation order prohibiting stopping at anytime, on the south side of Puente Street, between a point 170 feet west of Grand Avenue to a point 295 feet westerly, Covina area (Supervisorial District 5).
- 8. Adopt a traffic regulation order establishing a passenger loading zone, between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m., and between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m., school days only, on the south side of Puente Street, between a point 295 feet and a point 425 feet west of Grand Avenue, Covina area (Supervisorial District 5).

## PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

Our engineering investigations revealed the removal or installation of traffic controls will improve traffic safety, enhance traffic flow, and better serve adjacent properties.

## **Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals**

These recommendations are consistent with the County Strategic Plan Goal of Service Excellence, as implementation of these actions will address and accommodate parking, traffic operations, and safety concerns of residents and motorists.

#### FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

Sufficient funds are included in the Road Fund Budget to cover the minor costs of removing and installing the necessary signs and markings. Financing is not required.

### FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The California Vehicle Code authorizes your Board to implement these traffic regulations, which are required prior to enforcement by the California Highway Patrol and Sheriff's Department.

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### **ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The establishment of these regulations, including the installation of related traffic control devices required to notify the motoring public, is categorically exempt under Class I-(x)7 of the Environmental Guidelines approved by your Board.

# **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

Not applicable.

## CONCLUSION

At such time as these recommendations are approved, please return one copy of this letter to Public Works.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Chief Administrative Office County Counsel